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Title: LATERAL FILE

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Title: HOUSING FOR FREE-STANDING FILE CABINET

Group: 3637 Examiner: Unknown

The disclosure of this prior parent application, as well as any
applications from which this prior application may claim
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Copy of prior specification.

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16 Drawing Sheets Formal

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Information Disclosure Statement

Small entity status is claimed. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Statement(s) re small entity is/are enclosed.

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The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. , filed .

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